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MEMORANDUM FOR: Director of Training


SUBJECT : OTR Plan for Training in the Use  
of the Metric System

REFERENCES : (a) Undtd. memorandum to D/OTR fr.  
AR-DD/A; Subject: Plans for  
Conversion to and Training in  
the Use of the Metric System

(b) Memorandum dtd. 7 January 75  
to AR-DD/A fr. D/OTR; Subject:  
sm. as (a)

1. Your plan for metric training as outlined in reference (b) has been reviewed and is fine. While we are not sure at this point when Congress will enact legislation converting to the metric system, there is a definite plan for conversion within the Intelligence Community. The schedule projected by the USIB Metric Panel calls for major components to begin basic familiarization and training in the metric system for the two-month period following the enactment of legislation. There will be a period of dual reporting for eighteen months following the basic familiarization and training period.

2. Office of Training should monitor the actions of Congress regarding metric legislation and when it becomes apparent that they have taken a positive approach towards the subject, you should begin the purchase of the reference materials necessary to carry out your plan. Please notify us if you should decide to make any changes in your plan. As mentioned in paragraph 2 of reference (b), it will not be necessary for OTR to carry this as one of its DD-level objectives in the DD/A MBO program.

  
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